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MEMORANDUM FOR: Director of Central Intelligence

VIA: Deputy Director of Central Intelligence
 Executive Director

FROM: Harry E. Fitzwater
 Deputy Director for Administration

SUBJECT: Implementation of NSDD-19 on Protection of
 Classified National Security Council and
 Intelligence Information

REFERENCE: White House Memorandum, dated 2 February 1982,
 same Subject

1. Reference tasks Agency heads to forward to the National Security Council (NSC), by 15 March 1982, implementing instructions on procedures for the protection of classified NSC and intelligence information.

2. The Office of Security has prepared a response to reference for your signature (Tab A). It advises that a regulation has been drafted covering the prescribed procedures and safeguards for NSC information. It also advises that extant CIA regulations are in full accord with the letter and intent of reference. A Headquarters Notice for your signature has also been drafted (Tab B). It advises CIA employees of the special procedures for NSC information and urges strict compliance with regulations covering disclosure of classified information.

3. Reference also directs the DCI to "develop similar procedures" for protection of classified intelligence information. This has been interpreted as Intelligence Community implementation and is being pursued by the DCI Security Committee.

4. If you concur in the attached drafts, you are requested to sign the attached memorandum (Tab A) to Mr. Clark and the Headquarters Notice (Tab B).

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Attachments

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Executive Director

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Deputy Director of Central Intelligence

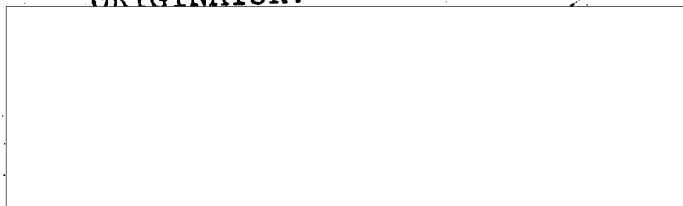
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24 FEB 1982

MEMORANDUM FOR: The Honorable William P. Clark
Assistant to the President for
National Security Affairs

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Intelligence Information

REFERENCE: White House Memorandum, dated 2 February 1982,
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1. In response to reference, tasking agency heads to issue instructions for the protection of National Security Council (NSC) information, a Central Intelligence Agency Headquarters Regulation, [redacted] (New Series), has been drafted. A copy of this regulation is attached. It specifies handling procedures and safeguards for NSC information in accordance with reference. It also addresses my responsibility to protect classified intelligence information within this Agency.

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2. With the addition of this regulation, I believe CIA rules and procedures to be in conformity with the specified procedures. Existing regulations prohibit the disclosure of classified information to unauthorized persons and provide for investigation of and penalties for such disclosures.

3. Procedures for the protection of classified intelligence information outside the Central Intelligence Agency are being examined pursuant to reference, and any procedural or regulatory changes or additions found necessary will be the subject of separate correspondence.

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William J. Casey
Director of Central Intelligence

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